

Marion County Board of Elections

Board Meeting Minutes and Certification

February 13, 2023

I. Call to Order

Chair Todd Anderson called to order the Regular meeting and Certification of Petitions of the Board of Elections at 5:00 PM on February 13, 2023 the meeting was held in the Prospect Room in the Marion County Building.

II. Attendance

The following board members were present: Chair Todd Anderson, Brandi Downs, Chris Smith and Lynn Zucker. The Director and Deputy Director were also present.

III. Approval of Meeting Minutes

January 18, 2023 – Regular Meeting

Mrs. Downs made a motion to approve the meeting minutes. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.

IV. Finance Report

Monthly budgetary reports for January

The Deputy Director called the board's attention to the financial report sheet in their packet. Mrs. Zucker made a motion to approve the financial report for January. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.

V. Payroll Report

The Director reviewed the payroll worksheet reports from the auditor's system (2/3 and 2/17) and the January board payroll. Mrs. Zucker moved to approve the payroll reports. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.

VI. Old Business

Campaign Finance Update

The Deputy Director stated the following:

- The Annual Campaign Finance Reports was due on January 31.
- Billy Mayberry and Ridgedale Local Schools have not filed their Annual Report.
- Eddie Bibler hasn't filed and his letter came back because he moved. He updated address in voter registration system but did not update address in Campaign Finance System.
- Dana Hanif Booker filed her Annual Report late (2-6-2023).
- Kai Meade hasn't filed and he didn't get a letter. Kai changed his address in the Campaign Finance System, but his treasurers address didn't get changed by our office.
- The board agreed to forward to elections commission.
- The Deputy Director also stated there will be a Training for Local Candidate Committees through the Secretary of State Office.

2023 November Polling Location Update

The Director stated the November polling location changes are moving forward. Still waiting on three agreements to be signed. Terry Bechtle and Ron Akers will be going out to new polling locations to complete ADA assessments. All the agreements will be through 2025, except for Marion City Schools agreements will be through December 31, 2024.

VII. New Business

2023 Election

Petition Review and Certification

- Mrs. Downs made a motion to accept William Moody's petition for 3rd Ward City Council. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the petition.
- Ms. Smith made a motion to accept Carie Fuller's petition for 3rd Ward City Council. Mrs. Zucker seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the petition.
- Mrs. Zucker made a motion to accept Aaron Rollins's petition for City Council at Large. Mrs. Downs seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Mrs. Downs made a motion to accept Thaddaeus Smith's petition for 5th Ward City Council. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Mrs. Zucker made a motion to accept Mary Stoneburner's petition for President of City Council. Mrs. Downs seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Mrs. Zucker made a motion to accept Glenn Coble's petition for Marion City Mayor. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Mrs. Zucker made a motion to accept Twila Laing's petition for 4th Ward City Council. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Ms. Smith made a motion to accept Dana Hanif Booker's petition for 4th Ward City Council. Mrs. Zucker seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Ms. Smith made a motion to accept Brett Cornelius's petition for Marion City Council at Large. Mrs. Downs seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Ms. Smith made a motion to accept Mark Russell's petition for Director of Law. Mrs. Zucker seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Mrs. Zucker made a motion to accept Sue McGowan's petition for Marion City Mayor. Mrs. Downs seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.

- Mrs. Downs made a motion to accept Ayers Ratliff's petition for 2nd Ward City Council. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Mrs. Zucker made a motion to accept Pamela Larkin's petition for 2nd Ward City Council. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Ms. Smith made a motion to accept Teresa Ballenger's petition for Marion Municipal Court Judge. Mrs. Downs seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Mrs. Zucker made a motion to accept Shawn Barr's petition for 1st Ward City Council. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Mrs. Downs made a motion to accept Mike Neff's petition for Marion City Council at Large. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Ms. Smith made a motion to accept Bart Wolfe's petition for 6th Ward City Council. Mrs. Downs seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Mrs. Downs made a motion to accept Jason Schaber's petition for 3rd Ward City Council. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Mrs. Downs made a motion to accept Cory Brown's petition for 5th Ward City Council. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Mrs. Zucker made a motion to accept Bill Collins's petition for Marion City Mayor. Mrs. Downs seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Mrs. Zucker made a motion to accept Ronald Prater's petition for 6th Ward City Council. Ms. Smith seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- Joshua Feliciano used white out over the office he is running for, wrong date on the Declaration of Candidacy, and wrong term date he checked unexpired term instead of full term. Mr. Feliciano also didn't have enough signatures. Ms. Smith made a motion not to approve Mr. Feliciano's petition for 4th Ward City Council. Mrs. Downs seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously not to certify Mr. Feliciano's petition.

Questions and Issues

- The Director stated there were a few questions and issues filed. The list of questions and issues are River Valley Local School District filed an Income Tax renewal, bond Issue, and an additional. Salt Rock Township filed a renewal. Big Island Township filed a renewal. First Consolidated Fire District filed a replacement and an increase.
- The Director mentioned the 100-day FWAB is posted in our office.
- The Director mentioned the drop box is open for Absentee Ballot Applications per office policy.
- The Director mentioned there will be 35 out of 45 precincts in this election.
- The Director and the Deputy Director talked to the commissioner's about having the early vote center outside of our office.
- The Director mentioned that Morrow County would like for Marion County to handle their ballots for this election. Morrow County would have about 360 to 370 people voting on River Valley Local School District and First Consolidated Fire District. Their voters would be voting at Dayspring. Ms. Smith made a motion to allow Morrow County voters to use Dayspring for their polling location for this election. Mrs. Zucker seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to accept the motion.
- The Director also mentioned that this was Chris Smith's last board meeting and Robb Koons will be our new board member.

Dates


- March 3, 2023 at 7:00 AM – Reorganization Meeting
- March 15, 2023 at 5:00 PM – Regular Board Meeting
- Summer Conference – Save the Date – 6/27/2023 – 6/28/2023 – Hilton Easton
- Winter Conference – Save the Date – 1/11/2024 – 1/12/2024 – Hilton Downtown

VIII. Adjournment


Ms. Smith moved to adjourn. Mrs. Downs seconded the motion. The board voted unanimously to adjourn at 5:41 PM on February 13, 2023.

Minutes submitted by: Jackie Fields

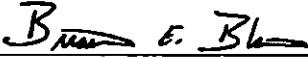
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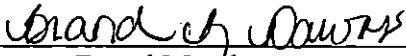
Director




Board Chair




Deputy Director



Board Member



Board Member



Board Member



PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to the applicable law of the State of Ohio, the Marion County Board of Elections herein announces public notice of a Regular Board Meeting to be held on

Monday, February 13th @ 5:00 PM

In the Prospect Room located in the Marion County Building located at 222 W. Center Street, Marion Ohio.

The public is invited to attend all meetings.

Signed this 19th day of January, 2023.

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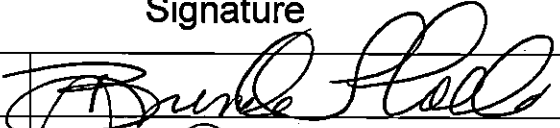

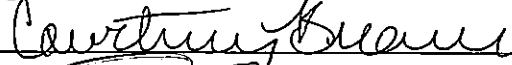
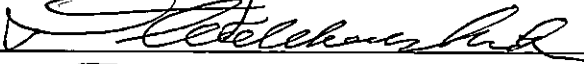



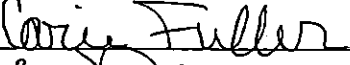



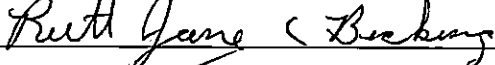
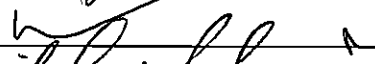

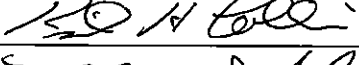
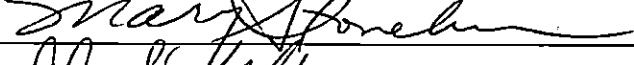
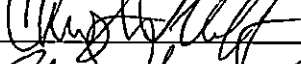





Cindy Price
Director

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Brian Blair
Deputy Director

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Sign In Sheet

Name – Please Print	Signature
Brenda Collins	
Gary Brown	
Courtney Brown	
Theodora Smith	
Katelyn Smith	
GARY RISCH	
Pamela Hartin	
Carie Fuller	
Twila Laing	
Tim Combs	
MARK Russell	
R J Bickling	
Robb Koons	
Bill Collins	
RICHARD COLLINS	
Mary Stoneburner	
Christy Neff	
ANDREW CARTER	
Teresa Bullinger	
Dana Manif Booker	
Shaun R. Barr	
RONALD A. PRATER	

Sue McGowan
Timothy E Freeman
Melissa Stewart

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AGENDA
MARION COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS
February 13, 2023 - Regular Meeting

Call to Order

Roll Call

Minutes

- January 18, 2023 Regular Board Meeting

Finance Report

- January Budget Report

Payroll Report

- Payroll / time off reports
 - 2/3/23 and 2/17/23 Office Payroll
 - January Board Payroll

Old Business

- Campaign Finance Update
 - Training for Local Candidate Committees
- 2023 November Polling Location Update
 - Display at May Polling Locations

New Business

- 2023 Election
 - Certifying Petitions and Questions and Issues for the Ballot
 - 100 Day FWAB posted
 - Drop Box is open for Absentee Ballot Applications per office policy
 - Precinct Number / Polling Locations
 - Early Vote Center
 - Morrow County
- Additional Business
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